

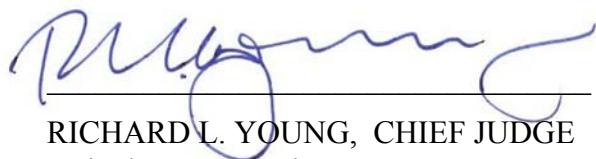
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

JOHN STURM, )  
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 Plaintiff, )  
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 vs. ) 1:14-cv-00848-RLY-MPB  
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 CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, )  
 OFFICER CATHERINE HEDGES, in her )  
 official and individual capacities, and )  
 OFFICER GREGORY STEWART, in his )  
 official and individual capacities, )  
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 Defendants. )

**ENTRY ON PLAINTIFF'S RULE 72 OBJECTION**

Plaintiff objects to the Magistrate Judge's Order denying him leave to file a Second Amended Complaint. The Magistrate Judge based his decision on the following: (1) Plaintiff filed his motion for leave more than nine months after the agreed upon and court-ordered deadline; (2) Plaintiff had enough information at the time he filed his First Amended Complaint to assert a battery claim against Officer Hatch and a *Monell* claim against the City of Indianapolis; and (3) Defendants would be prejudiced by the addition of new legal theories. Based on the court's review of the record, the Magistrate Judge did not commit any legal error or abuse his discretion. Accordingly, Plaintiff's Objection (Filing No. 68) is **OVERRULED**.

**SO ORDERED** this 13th day of April 2016.



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RICHARD L. YOUNG, CHIEF JUDGE  
United States District Court  
Southern District of Indiana

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